

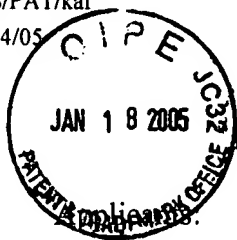
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PATENT APPLICATION

Attorney's Docket No.: 0975.1005-010

Expedited Procedure under 37 C.F.R. § 1.116

Examining Group 1642



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AMENDMENT AFTER FINAL

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Sir:

This Amendment is being filed in response to the Office Action mailed from the U.S. Patent and Trademark Office on July 14, 2004 in the above-identified application. Reconsideration and further examination are requested.

An extension of time to respond to the Office Action is respectfully requested. A Petition for Extension of Time and the appropriate fee are being filed concurrently with this Amendment.

Please amend the application as follows:

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NOTICE OF APPEAL FROM THE EXAMINER  
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Sir:

Applicants hereby appeal to the Board of Patent Appeals and Interferences from the decision dated July 14, 2004 of the Examiner finally rejecting claims 1-5 and 7-10. The item(s) checked below are appropriate:

1. ☒ Applicants hereby petition to extend the time for filing a Notice of Appeal in response to the Office Action Made Final dated July 14, 2004 for 3 months from October 14, 2004 to January 14, 2005.
2. ☐ A  month extension of time to respond to the Office Action Made Final dated  was filed on  with payment of a \$ fee.  
☐ Applicant hereby petitions for an additional  month extension of time to respond to the Office Action Made Final.

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3. ☐ A Request for Oral Hearing before the Board of Patent Appeals and Interferences is being filed concurrently herewith.

4. Fees are submitted for the following:

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5. The method of payment for the total fees is as follows:

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Please charge any deficiency or credit any overpayment in the fees that may be due in this matter to Deposit Account No. 08-0380. A copy of this document is enclosed for accounting purposes.

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